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SUBJECT: NAMIBIA: COURT RESTRICTS FLOGGINGS

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1. RECENTLY ANGLICAN BISHOP-SUFFRAGAN RICHARD WOOD AND OVAMBO-KAVANGO LUTHERAN CHURCH BISHOP LEONARD AUALA MADE APPLICATION TO SWA SUPREME COURT TO PROHIBIT FLOGGINS IN NAMIBIA. RESPONDING NOVEMBER 19, SUPREME COURT JUSTICE G.G. HOEXTER PLACED RESTRICTIONS ON FLOGGINGS. IN ORDER ISSUED BY COURT, ONDANGUA AND IKWANYAMA TRIBAL AUTHORITIES (OWAMBO) ARE PREVENTED FROM FLOGGINGPEOPLE FOR BEING MEMBERS OF SWAPO OR DEMOCRATIC COOPERATIVE DEVELOPMENT PARTY. ORDER SETS MAXIMUM PUNISHMENT TO TEN STROKES, STATES THAT WOMEN MAY NOT BE FLOGGED, AND PLACES PROHIBITION ON FLOGGINGANY PERSON " ON THE EXPOSED BODY" IN PUBLIC.

2. THE TWO TRIBAL AUTHORITIES HAVE UNTIL FEBRUARY 22, 1974 TO SHOW WHY COURT'S INTERDICT SHOULD NOT BE MADE FINAL.

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